

**Local Matters.****THE WEATHER.**

FOR THE WEEK ENDED WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 29.

Date.	Wind.	Thermometer.
		1 a.m.    Noon.    6 p.m.
Thurs. Sept. 23.	S.	46    66    52
Fri. 24.	S.N.	48    68    57
Sat. 25.	S.	46    64    57
Sun. 26.	S.	62    69    59
Mon. 27.	S.E.	55    74    62
Tues. 28.	S.	56    72    62
Wed. 29.	N.E.	49    65    56

**TRAVELERS' GUIDE.**

Trains pass Middlebury station at the hours given below:

GOING NORTH—Express, 5:36 a.m.; local express, 7:30 a.m.; mail, 3:25 p.m.; express, 6:15 p.m.

GOING SOUTH—Mail, 9:30 a.m.; passenger, 4:32 p.m.; mixed, 8:37 p.m.; express, 10:18 p.m.

MAILS CLOSE—North, 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.; South, 9:30 a.m., and 7:30 p.m.

See Central VT. time-table, elsewhere.

**THE CHURCHES.****ST. STEPHEN'S.**REV. ALVA E. CARPENTER, RECTOR.  
Sundays—Services, 10:45 a.m., 7:30 p.m.  
" Sunday School, 12:15 p.m.  
Fridays—Evening Prayer, 7:30 p.m.  
Special Service on Holy Days.**CONGREGATIONAL.**REV. S. LEWIS B. SPEARE, PASTOR.  
Sunday services, 10:45 a.m., 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday school, 12:00 p.m.  
H. J. Chapman, superintendent.  
Prayer-meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.  
Seats free.**BAPTIST.**REV. A. D. PALMER, PASTOR.  
Sunday Services, 10:45 a.m., 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday school, 12:00 p.m.  
Thursday, conference meeting, 7:30 p.m.**METHODIST.**REV. JOHN J. NOE, PASTOR.  
Sunday Services: Young People's meeting, 10:45 a.m.; Evening service, 7:30 p.m.; Sabbath-school, 12:00 p.m.; Class-meeting, 12:00 p.m.; Class-meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer-meeting Thursday, 7:30 p.m.**ROMAN CATHOLIC.**REV. HENRY LANE, PASTOR.  
This is the order of services in the R.C. church commencing with the first Sunday in February:

First Sunday in February—Mass at 10:30 a.m.; catechism, 3:30 p.m.; benediction, 7:30 p.m.

Second Sunday—Mass at 9 a.m.; catechism, 3:30 p.m.; benediction, 7:30 p.m.

Third Sunday—Mass at 10:30 a.m.; catechism, 3:30 p.m.; benediction, 7:30 p.m.

Fourth Sunday—No morning or afternoon service; but benediction at 7:30 p.m.

The above order of services is to be followed in rotation every four consecutive Sundays.

**LOCAL NOTICES.**Bananas at Tully's.  
Fresh oysters at Bain's.  
Fresh oysters at Manney's.  
Oranges and lemons at Bain's.  
P. R. select oysters at Tully's.  
Best 5¢ cigar in town at Tully's.  
Mixed pickles in bulk, at Tully's.  
Best line for coats found at Pine Hall. Don't forget it.

If you want bargains in meat, go to Tully's market.

Wanted, outfit in exchange for furniture at B. B. Hope's.

Buy the Autocrat fine imported stock cigars, sets at Tully's.

Violin, banjo and guitar strings, finest made, at Marshall's.

New goods coming nearly every day at Marshall's.

Paper sheets, wads and other sporting goods, at Earl &amp; Smith's.

Marshall offers special inducements to book buyers. See his ad.

If you are in need of ladders call at B. B. Hope's. Sold cheap.

Go to B. B. Hope's for window shades, lamp-braiding poles, etc.

Grand ball opening this week at Pine Hall. Every one welcome.

New fall millinery, such as hats, fancy feathers, etc., at E. R. Clay's.

Something new for Spring Beds at B. B. Hope's. Call and see them.

Stewart's cough cure; every bottle warrant ed; at the Case &amp; Rider drug store.

Brown's best is as good as ever. Try a bar- rel.

W. H. SHELDON.

Full line of wraps, Jersey jackets and New markets, at Clay's.

New stock of lounges just received at B. B. Hope's Furniture store, 19 Main street.

FOR SALE—at reasonable rates, Chester White pigs—full-blood, three-quarter blood and half-blood. \$3.25. LOUIS HOPE.

FOR SALE—My house and lot on North Pleasant street. Inquire of JOHN JACKSON.

FOR SALE—A two-horse horse-power, with thresher, and wagon for moving same. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A full-blood Scotch sheep-hound dog. The best farmer's dog in the world. Enquire at this office.

Fall and winter millinery, jackets and cloaks, gloves, fancy goods etc., now ready for inspection, at Mrs. Wm. Hinckley's.

WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS—These are the days when I deliver Kerosene. Remember the time. FRED. E. ROGERS.

Winter stock now complete at Pine Hall. The like never seen in this town before. Stock stupendous. Prices the lowest at Pine Hall, Middlebury.

SHORTHAND—A limited number of young gentlemen and ladies to study shorthand. For particulars address, 402 C. B. Riggs, Middlebury, Vt.

We are now receiving additions to our stock of boots and shoes, making it one of the largest to be found; will be sold at prices as low as the lowest.

BECKWITH &amp; CO.

Look in room under Marshall's store for bargains in furniture. Goods must be sold. Prices your own. Large stock of coffins and caskets. R. W. PITTS, Agt.

POULTRY—I will buy poultry at my house Seymour street, near the cattle yards, every day in the week; and will pay the highest market price. JOS. LA ROCK.

If you want a good cook stove or range cheap call at the store of J. H. Sargent's. We have a good assortment of cooking stoves and parlor heaters, which will be sold cheap for cash.

MASONIC.—Regular communication of Union Lodge, No. 2, F. and A. M., Monday evening at 7 o'clock. All members are requested to be present if possible, as important business is to be transacted.

LOST.—On Monday morning, Sept. 6, a large gray woolen shawl with gray fringe, between Bread Loaf Inn and Middlebury, via creek road. Five dollars will be paid any one returning the same either at the Bread Loaf Inn or at Mr. Beckwith's store, Middlebury.

**LOCAL NEWS.**

Mrs. E. E. Rich is in Brandon on a visit among friends.

The first train of cars run into Middlebury was on the 19th of September, 1849, drawn by the engine "Middlebury."

Butter is still going up. It sold in this market, Monday, at 20 and 21 cents for fair to good; selections, 22 cents.

Mr. E. R. Clay has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to visit his store every day.

Mr. Darwin Rider went up to Barton, Wednesday, to see his horse, Archy, trot at the races there yesterday.

Mr. George M. Fletcher is soon to erect, for his own occupancy, a house on the lot on South street which he bought last spring.

Most of those who went on the New York excursion, last week, came home Sunday morning. Mr. Alden, however, remained till Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. F. Hamilton of Springfield, Mass., are in town on a visit to Mrs. Hamilton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Buttolph.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brunelle of Nashua, N. H., who had been in town for a number of weeks, returned home on Saturday last.

The funeral of Mrs. Julia Beckwith was largely attended from the family residence on Friday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Speare officiating.

Mr. Homer Riggs, the United States pension examiner, has removed his family to town and proposes to make this place his headquarters for the present.

Mr. A. C. Morrison of Minneapolis, Minn., came to town Saturday, and started Tuesday on his return journey. He is in the employ of the Minneapolis and Minnetonka Railroad company.

It is the plan of the ladies of the Catholic parish here to hold a fair next month, and if they do it is sure to be a success. The last one was held two years ago last winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Goodrich of New Britain, Ct., returned home on Wednesday. Mrs. Goodrich had spent most of the summer in town and her husband came up to attend the funeral of Mrs. Beckwith, Mrs. Goodrich's mother.

Mr. L. C. Bain of Lincoln, who came down to manage Mr. Colby's business during the latter's absence in the West, is quite ill at the house of Mr. Colby with a fever that has confined him to bed since Saturday night.

Mr. A. B. Colby, who went to Texas with Mr. Junius E. Severance to assist him in taking and disposing of a lot of Merinos, came home Wednesday. Mr. Severance will remain and close out the property, which sold fairly well.

Mr. Clark Schofield, who managed the Addison House for a short time, a few years ago, was in town Monday afternoon on a flying visit to friends. He is now head clerk of the Sturdevant House, Broadway and Thirty-eighth street, New York city.

Mr. Philip B. Stewart left home on Saturday for New Haven, Ct. He goes there to take a post-graduate course in Yale college, from which institution he was graduated at the last commencement. He will remain there for a year at least.

Right Rev. Louis DeGoesbriand, Catholic bishop of this diocese, was in town over Sunday. He read mass at the church in the morning, and in the afternoon administered the sacrament of confirmation to a class of over sixty, the largest class for many years.

Mr. C. A. Sweet of Belle Plaine, Ia., is in town for a short stay. He was a member of the college class of '80, but left during the course and graduated from Williams college. He then studied law at Albany, and is now engaged in the practice of the law.

It is understood that the firm of Nason &amp; Smith, who have leased Mr. Langworthy's machine shop since last spring, has dissolved by the withdrawal of Mr. Nason. Mr. Smith, who continues the business, is a brother of Mr. C. G. Smith, the architect, and a skilful workman.

Mr. F. A. Bond returned from market Saturday, and the results of his efforts there are beginning to be seen at Pine Hall. The store has lately been provided with a furnace, for use in moderate weather, fall and spring, when the services of the steam-heating apparatus are not required.

A hearing was had, Wednesday, in the case of Peter Goodrich vs. L. H. Stowe before W. H. Bliss, Esq., special master. The suit grows out of the partnership under which the business of the Sun grist mill was carried on for several years. Stewart &amp; Wilds appear for Goodrich and Eldredge &amp; Slade for Stowe.

Mr. W. H. Cobb has been appointed by the village trustees to the position of night watchman, which he took temporarily till final arrangements could be made. As heretofore, the larger part of the expense will be paid by the business men, who think the additional safety thus secured to their property warrants the outlay.

Two out-of-town gentlemen, partners, one of them now carrying on a shoe store in Burlington and the other a country store at Marshfield, near Montpelier,

have leased the Vallette block in this village and will open it for business about November 1. It is understood that the store at Marshfield is to be closed up and that the one there will come here to manage this store. What they will deal in appears not to be known as yet by the gentlemen themselves. Doubtless they wish to become better acquainted with the needs of the region before deciding.

Harry, son of Mr. J. W. Pitts, gave his friends a great fright, Monday night. He had not come home at a late hour in the evening, and none of his playmates had seen him for several hours. His shoes and stockings were found on the bank of the creek near the house, giving ground for the supposition that he had been wading in the stream and had fallen in and drowned. Just as preparations were making to drag the creek, he was discovered. He had been wading; then he heard some one shooting frogs at the railroad bridge; when he got there he thought he would go and see the New York express come in; when it arrived he rode up to the Addison House on the coach, and he was still near there playing when his anxious friends came upon him.

The usual services were held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last Sunday afternoon. The address, given by Rev. J. J. Noe, was of special importance. The lesson was taken from the seventeenth chapter of St. John. The attendance was better than could have been expected with weather so unfavorable. The young men's meeting was held on Wednesday evening and was led by Ransom Benedict.

Next Sunday afternoon the services at the hall will be conducted by the secretary. Mr. Parsons intends to take a ten days' vacation; he will leave next Wednesday, going first to Barre to attend the Y. M. C. A. convention. He will spend the remaining time in Berlin and Montpelier. All who desire to join the class in penmanship are requested to hand in their names to the secretary. The class will begin its course in about two weeks. There will also be a class in book-keeping if a sufficiently large number of persons can be obtained to make it an object. Any person who would like to join this class will please hand his name to the secretary at once.

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